

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) A vent~~Vent~~ for a septic system, the septic system including a conduit extending therefrom and configured to convey gas therefrom, the vent comprising:

a leg to sealingly receives the gas conveyed from the septic system conduit~~configured to mount on, conceal a portion of and convey gas from the conduit, wherein said leg is configured for mounting a fixture thereon, and,~~

at least one filter in communication with the leg, the at least one filter to filter the gas conveyed from the septic system conduit, said at least one filter disposed in at least one aperture to release said filtered gas from said vent.

2. (Currently amended) The vent~~Vent~~ of claim 1, ~~wherein said leg closely or sealingly receives the conduit where~~ the at least one aperture includes at least one downward-facing aperture.

3. (Currently amended) The vent~~Vent~~ of claim 1, wherein said leg defines a passage configured to receive the conduit.

4. (Currently amended) The vent~~Vent~~ of claim 3, further comprising a coupling for conveying gas from the conduit to said passage.

5. (Currently amended) The vent~~Vent~~ of claim 4, wherein the conduit has an outlet that defines a first size and said passage has an inlet that defines a second size that is different from the first size.

6. (Currently amended) The vent~~Vent~~ of claim 4, wherein the conduit is misaligned relative to said passage.

7. (Currently amended) The vent~~Vent~~ of claim 1, ~~where the at least one~~further comprising a filter for filtering gas conveyed through said passage includes at least one charcoal filter.

8. (Currently amended) The vent~~Vent~~ of claim 1, further comprising a fixture mounted on the leg.

9. (Currently amended) The vent~~Vent~~ of claim 8, wherein said fixture is selected from at least one of: a bird bath basin, a gazing ball, a statue, a sun dial, a garden ornament, and combinations thereof.

10. (Currently amended) ~~The vent~~^{Vent} of claim 8, further comprising a fixture mount interposed between said leg and said fixture.
11. (Currently amended) ~~The vent~~^{Vent} of claim 10, wherein said fixture mount defines a passage for conveying gas from said leg to the atmosphere.
12. (Currently amended) ~~The vent~~^{Vent} of claim 11, further comprising a filter for filtering gas conveyed through said passage.
13. (Currently amended) ~~A method~~^{Method} of concealing a conduit extending from a septic system and configured to convey gas from a septic system, the method comprising:
- sizing the conduit extending from the septic system; then
- based on the sizing, mounting on the conduit a leg configured to sealably convey gas from the conduit; wherein said leg is configured for mounting a fixture thereon, the leg defining a passage for conveying gas from the conduit, and,
- disposing at least one filter in communications with the passage and to filter said conveyed gas, said at least one filter disposed in at least one aperture to release said filtered gas from said vent.
14. (Currently amended) ~~The method~~^{Method} of claim 13, wherein the leg defines a passage for conveying gas from the conduit, said method further comprising, between said sizing and said mounting, interposing a coupling between the conduit and the passage.
15. (Currently amended) ~~The method~~^{Method} of claim 13, wherein ~~the leg defines a passage for conveying gas from the conduit, said method further comprising disposing at least one filter~~ includes the passage at least one charcoal filter.
16. (Currently amended) ~~The method~~^{Method} of claim 13, further comprising mounting a fixture on the leg.
17. (Currently amended) ~~The method~~^{Method} of claim 16, wherein the fixture is selected from a bird bath basin, a gazing ball, a statue, a sun dial, a garden ornament and combinations thereof.
18. (Currently amended) ~~The method~~^{Method} of claim 16, further comprising interposing a fixture mount between the leg and the fixture.

19. (Currently amended) The methodMethod of claim 18, wherein the fixture mount defines a passage for conveying gas from the leg to the atmosphere, said method further comprising disposing a filter in the passage.